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1. The Ministry of the Interior sent written orders to the State Secretariat, Shipping to the effect that beginning 2 July 1953 all planning work, including research into the building soil, boring, research and development work in the Nord project (Ruegen), was to cease.
2. According to a chemist who, until 8 July 1953 was on detachment at Glowe/Ruegen and has now returned to the State Secretariat, Shipping, the situation at Ruegen is as follows:
 - a. Underwater borings for the planned harbor have ceased.
 - b. The Russian dredger has been dismantled and is ready to be moved away. It has not yet been decided whether the dredger is to be returned to the Soviet Union or to be used on some other building site in East Germany.
 - c. The hut camp is being dismantled.
 - d. All equipment and apparatus are to be returned to their places of origin during July 1953.
 - e. The convicts employed there are to be withdrawn and set to work on the harvest.
 - f. Ruegen Island as of 8 July 1953 has been derequisitioned and no passes or checks are necessary to go on it.

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